## **REMARKS**

This response amends claims 21, 31, 81, 82, and 94. The above claim listing has been formatted to highlight the differences between the claims as amended by this response and the claims submitted in Applicants' response dated December 10, 2004.

The present amendments place the claims in better form for consideration on appeal by making claims 21 and 81 more consistent with claim 1, by making claim 31 more consistent with claim 11, by making claim 82 more consistent with claim 2, and by making claim 94 more consistent with claim 14.

These amendments do not material affect the subject matter of the claims, with regard to the grounds of rejection set forth in the Final Action.

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## **CONCLUSION**

Entry of the present amendments is respectfully requested, to put the claims in better form for consideration on appeal. If the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (512) 732-3927.

Respectfully submitted,

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